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Applicant: Seong-Jai CHO, et al

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oxide ceramics using glass and surface
modified oxide ceramics thereof

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith with a Request for continued Examination (RCE), in response to the Advisory Action mailed March 31, 2008, Applicants submit the following amendment and remarks for consideration by the Examiner.

Because the period for reply expired on April 17, 2008, we enclose herewith a petition for a two (2) month extension of time and appropriate fee which extends the time to reply to June 17, 2008.

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